

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Yasunori Azuma
Serial No. : 10/791,634
Filing Date : March 2, 2004
For : METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR ASSIGNING ALIAS
NODE NAMES AND PORT NAMES WITHIN A TAPE
LIBRARY (AS AMENDED)
Art Unit : 2185
Examiner : Salva, Arpan P.
Confirmation No. : 3082

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**RESPONSE SUBMITTED WITH
REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION**

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed on September 19, 2007, having a
three-month statutory period for response set to expire on December 19, 2007, Applicants submit
herewith a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) and an electronic payment in the amount
of \$810.00 as payment of the RCE fee. Please amend the above-identified application as

follows.

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Amendments to the Claims begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.